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SUBJECT: SOVIET SHORT WAVE RADIO INTERFERENCE

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- 1. EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED NOTE FROM MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS DATED JANUARY 7, 1977, IN RESPONSE TO EMBASSY'S NOTE ON SOVIET SHORT WAVE RADIO INTERFERENCE OF DECEMBER 20, 1976. FOLLOWING IS EMBASSY'S INFORMAL TRANSLATION.
- 2. BEGIN TEXT: THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS OF THE UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS IN REFERENCE TO THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA NOTE NO. 1794 OF DECEMBER 20, 1976 INFORMS YOU THAT APPROPRIATE EXPLANATIONS OF THE QUESTION RAISED IN THE NOTE INDICATED WERE FORWARDED BY THE USSR MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS TO THE FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION OF THE USA AND ALSO TO THE INTERNATIONAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS UNION ON DECEMBER 16, 1976. END TEXT.
- 3. COMMENT: FROM THE LANGUAGE OF THE SOVIET NOTE WE CANNOT CONFIDENTIAL

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BE SURE IF THE REFERENCE TO SOVIET "EXPLANATIONS" IS TO THOSE MADE TO THE FCC ON DECEMBER 3 (AND THEN PERHAPS REPEATED ON DECEMBER 16 TO THE ITU) OR IF THERE WAS A SECOND RESPONSE TO THE FCC ON THE LATTER DATE. IF THE REFERENCE IS TO THE "EXPLANATIONS" OF DECEMBER 3, THE SOVIET NOTE FAILS TO RESPOND TO THE POINT MADE IN THE U.S. NOTE AND ATTENDANT ORAL REMARKS OF DECEMBER 20, NAMELY THAT THE DISTURBANCES

ARE CONTINUING.

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